

**In the Claims:**

Please amend claims 1, 21, 23 and 24 as indicated below. A clean version of the claims as amended is attached hereto.

**IN THE CLAIMS:**

1. A disposable liner for a dutch oven comprising:  
 a liner having a bottom wall and an upstanding side wall with an upper portion, said liner having a liquid-retaining surface extending along said bottom wall to at least said upper portion of said upstanding side wall, said bottom wall and said upstanding side wall of said liner configured with a deformable material to conformably and abuttingly fit against an inner surface of [in] the dutch oven; and  
 at least one handle extendable from said upper portion of said liner and configured to be moveable with respect to said upper portion for completely enclosing in the dutch oven.

21. A method of fabricating a disposable liner for a dutch oven, the method comprising:  
 forming a liner with a deformable material having a bottom wall and an upstanding side wall with an upper portion so that said bottom wall and said upstanding side wall of said liner is configured to conformably and abuttingly fit against an inner surface of the dutch oven, said liner having a liquid-retaining surface extending along said bottom wall to at least said upper portion of said upstanding side wall;  
 and  
 forming at least one handle to be extendable from said upper portion of said liner and configured to be moveable with respect to said upper portion for completely enclosing said liner and said at least one handle in the dutch oven.

23. A method of cooking with a disposable liner, the method comprising:

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 providing a dutch oven having an inner surface, an outer surface and an upper ridge between said inner surface and said outer surface, and a lid made for resting on said upper ridge;

providing a disposable liner having a bottom wall with a periphery extending to an upstanding side wall, said upstanding sidewall having an upper portion, said disposable liner having a deformable material and a liquid-retaining surface extending along said bottom wall to at least said upper portion of said upstanding side wall, said upper portion having at least one handle extendable from said upper portion and configured to be moveable with respect to said upper portion;

disposing said disposable liner [to overly] so that said bottom wall and said upstanding side wall substantially conforms and abuts with said inner surface of said dutch oven;

providing food in said disposable liner;

maneuvering said at least one handle to a downward position below said upper ridge of said dutch oven for completely enclosing in said dutch oven;

placing said lid of said dutch oven on said ridge;

placing said dutch oven with said disposable liner therein to a hot surface to thereby cook said food therein;

removing said dutch oven from said hot surface and removing said lid from said dutch oven;

maneuvering said at least one handle to an upward position; and

removing said disposable liner from said dutch oven by said at least one handle in said upward position.

24. A disposable liner in combination with a cooking vessel, the combination comprising:

a basin including an inner surface and an upper ridge, said basin configured to receive a basin lid to sit on said upper ridge of said basin;

a liner having a bottom wall and an upstanding side wall with an upper portion, said liner having a liquid-retaining surface extending along said bottom wall to at least said upper portion of said upstanding side wall, said bottom wall and said upstanding

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side wall of said liner configured with a deformable material to conformably and abuttingly sit against said inner surface of [in] said basin; and  
at least one handle extendable from said upper portion of said liner, said at least one handle configured to be maneuverable so that said basin lid sits flat on said upper ridge of said basin without interference.

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